



## To the Mechanics of Kentucky.

At an adjourned meeting of the subscribers for purchasing a Fire Engine, No. 2, held at Mr. Marshall's Tavern in Lexington, 3d December, 1798.

It was resolved to receive proposals from any Mechanic in this State to furnish a Fire Engine, stating the dimensions, expenses of constructing, and the time in which it will be delivered complete. — The engine to be at least equal to the one belonging to the Company No. 1, in this town, and as much superior as the funds of the company will admit.

One third of the price that may be agreed upon will be advanced in hand, upon the party contracting giving sufficient security to return the said money advanced with legal interest in case of non-compliance with the contract. Proposals will be received by the undersigned persons who have been appointed a committee, and information will be given by any of them, to any Mechanic who may wish to offer proposals until the 3d January next.

R. LATERSON,  
W. MACBETH,  
H. MARSHALL,  
J. M. BOUGS,  
R. CAMPBELL.

## Cash and Merchandise

Will be given by the subscribers, for

## WHEAT &amp; TOBACCO.

THE wheat will be received at Tates creek mills, or in Lexington. The tobacco at any ware-house on the Kentucky river, or Ohio. — They have just received a quantity of COFFEE, SUGAR, SPIRITS, WINE, BRANDY and COTTON, which they will sell very low.

ROBERT & DOWNING.  
110.

Just arrived from New-Orleans,

A quantity of high proof

## 27 JAMAICA SPIRITS;

Also a quantity of

## BEST HAVANNAH SUGAR,

Which will be sold on low terms. — Apply to

A. HOLMES.  
Lexington, May 26, 1798. tf

TO be told to the highest bidder, on Friday the 4th day of January next, at the late dwelling house of Ebenezer Farris deceased, in Lexington all the personal estate of said dec'd, six months credit will be given for all sums above five dollars, by the purchaser giving bond with approved security.

GIFTY FARIS, Administrator.  
JOHN HARRISON } adm.  
SAMUEL AYRES. }

N. B. All those indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment by that time, and those having demands against the estate are requested to bring them forward on the day of sale, that provision may be made to discharge them.

## Twenty-five Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living near Bullitt's lick, Bullitt county, on Delany's road, HARRY, a negro man slave, a trim male fellow, about five feet, eight or ten inches high, a little yellow cast in his complexion, about twenty two years of age, has a large scar in his forehead, nearer to one of his eyes than the other, and stands easily up and down, he is a fidler, he took with him two deep blue broad cloth coats, nankin overalls, and white shirt, with fine dry other cloaths. — He has a forged pass, calls himself Sam Butler and passes for a blacksmith, but does not understand the business that I know of. Whoever delivers said negro to the subscriber, shall have the above reward.

JAMES YWELL.  
December 14th, 1798.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Lexington District Court;

October term, 1798.

Henry Purviance, complainant,  
AGAINST  
Robert Morris and John Nicholson, defendants.

## In Chancery.

THE defendants not having entered their appearance herein agreeable to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this State — on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendants do appear here on the third day of our next March term, and answer the complainant's bill: that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, that another be published some Sunday immediately after divine service, at the door of the Presbyterian meeting-house, in the town of Lexington, and at the door of the court-house of Fayette county.

A Copy. Telle,

Thos. Bodley, Clk.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Lexington District Court;

October term, 1798.

John Koy, complainant,  
AGAINST  
Benjamin Fisher, defendant.

## In Chancery.

THE defendant not having entered his appearance herein agreeable to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is not an inhabitant of this State — on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here on the third day of our next March term, and answer the complainant's bill: that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, published some Sunday immediately after divine service at the door of the Presbyterian meeting-house, and a copy posted up at the door of the court-house in the county of Fayette.

A copy. Telle,

Thos. Bodley, Clk.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Lexington District Court;

October term, 1798.

Guy Bryan, complainant,  
AGAINST  
Robert Morris, and John Nicholson, defendants.

## In Chancery.

THE defendants not having entered their appearance herein agreeable to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this State — on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendants do appear here on the third day of our next March term, and answer the complainant's bill: that a copy of this order be inserted in the Kentucky Gazette, for two months successively, that another be published some Sunday immediately after divine service, at the door of the Presbyterian meeting-house, in the town of Lexington, and another copy posted up at the door of the court-house of Fayette county.

A copy. Telle,

Thos. Bodley, Clk.

## I WILL SELL OR RENT

The house lately occupied by Mr. David Humphreys in this place.  
K. M'COY.  
Lexington, August 22d, 1798.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Lexington District Court;

October term, 1798.

John Wilkes Kittera, complainant,  
AGAINST  
Robert Morris, defendant.

## In Chancery.

THE defendant not having entered his appearance herein agreeable to law and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is not an inhabitant of this State — on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here on the third day of our next March term, and answer the complainant's bill: that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Kentucky Gazette, for two months successively, that another be published some Sunday immediately after divine service at the door of the Presbyterian meeting-house in Lexington, and the door of the court-house in the county of Fayette.

A Copy. Telle,

Thos. Bodley, Clk.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Lexington District Court;

October term, 1798.

Robert Johnson, complainant,  
AGAINST  
Francis Boykin, George Lankford, William Miller, David Barrow, Thomas Jordan, Robert Jordan, Francis Marshall Boykin, and Boykin, heirs and representatives of Robert Marshall deceased, John Lawrence and Sally Lawrence, heirs of John Lawrence deceased, and Josiah Parker, administrator of William Davis, deceased, defendants.

## In Chancery.

THE defendants not having entered their appearance herein, agreeable to the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this commonwealth — on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendants do appear here on the third day of our next March term, and answer the complainant's bill: that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, published some Sunday immediately after divine service, at the door of the Presbyterian meeting-house in Lexington, and a copy posted up at the door of the court-house in the county of Fayette.

A Copy. Telle,

Thos. Bodley, Clk.

JAMES B. JANUARY  
WILL GIVE A GENEROUS PRICE FOR  
HEMP & TOBACCO.

He has on hand a quantity of RED CLOVER SEED, of the produce of Kentucky, and this year's growth — as well as a quantity of SALT, IRON and CASTINGS

JOHN JORDAN, JUN.  
HAS JUST RECEIVED A LARGE QUANTITY OF  
SHERRY,  
LISSON, & WINES.  
PORT,  
ALSO,  
SPIRITS AND BRANDY.  
Of a superior quality, which he purposes selling very low for Cash.

12 Dr. ESSEX.  
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, AND MAN  
MID WIFE.

A PUPIL of the late Dr. John Hunter of London, announces to his friends and the public, his intention of practising in the several departments of his profession.

Lexington, Sept. 10, 1798.  
N. B. Dr. Essex resides in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Seitz, at that end of the town of Lexington which leads out to Frankfort.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT COURT,

October Term 1798.

John Henry, and Henry his wife, plaintiffs  
against and widow of William Elliot deceased complainants.

## AGAINST

James Elliot, James Stewart and Anna his wife, Robert, Leggs, Williams, James and Henry Elliot, legal representatives of William Elliot deceased, defendants.

## IN CHANCERY.

THE defendants James Elliot and William Elliot, not having entered his appearance herein according to law, and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this State, therefore, on the motion of the complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendants do appear here, on the fourth day of our next March term and answer the bill of the complainants, that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Kentucky Gazette, for two months successively — another, posted at the door of the court house of Fayette county, and that this order be published some Sunday immediately after divine service at the door of the Presbyterian meeting house in Lexington.

(A Copy.) Telle,

Thos. Bodley, Clk.

## HARDIN COUNTY, (to wit:)

November, Quarter Session court, 1798.

Samuel Rice, complainant.

## AGAINST,

David Barbour, defendant.

## IN CHANCERY.

THE defendant not having entered his appearance agreeable to law, and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that he is not an inhabitant of this commonwealth — on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear here on the first day of the next February term, and answer the complainant's bill, or the same will be taken as confessed. That a copy of this order be inserted in one of the Kentucky news papers for two months successively, and published at the door of John Vestre's house on Monday Sunday immediately after divine service, and a copy set up at the door of the court-house, of said county.

(A Copy.) Telle,

MORRIS MILES, C. C.

## STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Washington District Court.

November term, 1798.

Gary L. Clarke, complainant,

## Against

Joseph Cocking Jun. and William Lloyd, Thomas Lloyd, Abigail Lloyd, Esq., Lloyd and Thomas Lloyd, heirs and representatives of Samuel P. Lloyd deceased, defendants.

## In Chancery.

THE defendants not having entered their appearance agreeable to the act of assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this commonwealth — on the motion of the complainant by his attorney, it is ordered that the defendants appear here on the third day of our next term and answer the complainant's bill: And that a copy of this order be inserted in the Kentucky Gazette or Herald for two months successively; another posted at the door of the court house of Mason county; and that this order be published on Sunday, at the door of the Baptist meeting house in Washington.

A Copy Telle,  
FRANCIS TAYLOR, C. W. G.



## Laws of Kentucky.

An act for calling a convention.

§ 1. *Be it enacted by the general assembly,* That the qualified electors within this state, in the year 1799, shall, at the same time and place, in voting for members to the general assembly, vote for members to represent them in the convention, for the purpose hereafter directed; and the electors of the several counties and judges holding elections, shall in receiving votes, keeping the polls and making their returns for members to the convention, act agreeably to the law entitled "an act concerning elections," and shall be subject to the same penalties as are inflicted on the electors, for neglect in similar cases. The convention to be called shall sit with open doors, and the citizens of this commonwealth be permitted to attend and hear the debates.

§ 2. There shall be elected in each county within this state the same number of representatives to the convention as they shall be then respectively entitled to in the house of representatives by law. And the members who shall be so elected, shall continue in appointment for four months from the time of the election, unless the business before them be sooner completed; and shall meet in the late house in Frankfort, on the twenty-second day of July, in the year aforesaid. Two thirds of the whole number of members, shall be necessary to constitute a quorum to do business; who after appointing a president and other proper officers, and fixing their rules of procedure, shall take into consideration, the constitution of this state, or present form of government, and the propriety of altering, amending or re-adopting the same.

§ 3. The president and members of the said convention shall receive the same compensation per day, and the same mileage and allowances for carriage, as the members of the assembly; and shall make such allowances to their officers as they may think necessary; and the auditor shall issue warrants on the treasurer for payment accordingly.

§ 4. And be it further enacted, that the counties of Christian and Warren shall at the next general election, be entitled to vote for one representative, in each county, to serve in the next general assembly; and also in each county to represent them in the convention.

This act shall be in force from and after the first day of March 1799.

AN ACT for the union of the Transylvania Seminary and the Kentucky Academy.

WHEREAS, a majority of the trustees of the Transylvania Seminary and the Kentucky Academy, have by their joint petition, represented to this general assembly, that the boards of trustees of the said Seminary and Academy, have mutually agreed, that those institutions and their respective funds shall be united on the terms therein set forth, and requested that the said union may be confirmed by the legislature. Therefore, in conformity to the said terms, and in compliance with the said request,

§ 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly,* That from and after the first day of January next, the Transylvania Seminary and the Kentucky Academy shall be united and become one general institution for the promotion of learning, to be styled and known by the name of the TRANSYLVANIA UNIVERSITY: and that James Garrahd, Samuel M'Dowell, Cornelius Beatty, Frederick Riddle, Robert Marshall, George Nicholas, James Crawford, Joseph Crummett, Bartlett Collins, Andrew M'Calla, William Martin, Robert Steele, John M'Dowell, Alexander Parker, Caleb Wallace, James Trotter, Levi Todd, James Hlythe, Thomas Lewis, John Bradford and Buckner Theulton, shall be the trustees of the said University, and shall hold their first session at the seat of the said Transylvania Seminary in the town of Lexington, on the second Tuesday in January next.

§ 2. And be it further enacted, That the said twenty-one trustees and their successors, by the name of the trustees of the Transylvania University, shall be a body politic and corporate, and as such, possess, hold or dispose of for the use and benefit of the said University, all the lands, monies, and property of every other kind which shall be in the occupation of, or in any wise accruing to the said Trans-

sylvania Seminary and the Kentucky Academy, or either of them, under the several laws by which those trustees shall be respectively entitled thereto on the said first day of January next. And that all contracts made by either of the last mentioned boards of trustees or their respective agents, prior thereto, shall be fulfilled by, or accrue to the trustees of the said University.

§ 3. And be it further enacted, That the said seat of the Transylvania Seminary shall be the seat of the said University until removed by a board of the trustees thereof, two thirds of the whole number of the trustees at the time being, concurring in the expediency of the measure. And on the concurrence of the same number, they may from time to time, establish at the seat of the said University or elsewhere, one or more schools, as surerries for the said University.

§ 4. And be it further enacted, That the trustees of the said University, may from time to time expend so much of the funds thereof as they shall think proper, to assist poor and promising youths in acquiring education therein, or in the schools belonging thereto; eleven of the trustees concurring in the election of each youth thus to be assisted, and in fixing the several sums of money to be advanced for the purpose.

§ 5. That the several acts, of the general assembly of the state of Virginia & Kentucky, now in force, prescribing the powers and directing the proceedings of the trustees of the said Transylvania Seminary, shall be the laws of the trustees of the said University, until amended or repealed by the legislature on petition of the trustees of the said University, signed by at least eleven of them; except that no trustee of the said University shall continue in office after having absented himself from one stated session of the trustees thereof, and the first day of their stated session next following, and also, from the intermediate session or sessions, if any, which shall be legally appointed or called, unless, on the next day thereafter, on which a board shall meet, and before it enters on any other business, it shall receive satisfactory information that the causes of such absence were sufficient, and also, that they are removed; otherwise, the seat of the trustee thus absented himself, shall be considered as vacated, and a record thereof be made. Except, alfo, that in all those cases, wherein, by the last mentioned acts, the concurrence of thirteen trustees is made requisite, only eleven of the trustees of the said University shall be requisite to constitute a quorum to do such business, and the concurrence of eleven shall be sufficient. Except also, that any board of the trustees of the said University may appoint and empower one or more committees to determine any business arising from the receipts of the trustees, which might have been done by a board consisting only of seven of the said trustees. And except also, that the trustees of the said University shall have power, as often as they shall think proper, to make temporary appointments of a president, treasurer and clerk, and professors and masters.

LONDON, September 18.  
It is now generally admitted, that Buonaparte, in spite of the Alligators and Arabs arrived at Cairo; is retained therefore to be considered what course he will next pursue. Upon this question, a Morning Paper makes the following judicious reflections:

"It seems to be generally imagined, that he would not attempt to cross the Isthmus of Suez, in order to gain the shores of the Red Sea against the desert. Supposing, however, that he had followed the resistance of the Egyptian Bays, and dispersed their immediate fears of any design against themselves, he might find them ready to facilitate his passage through their dominions. Perhaps in this case, he might attempt a course in many respects preferable to that through the desert to Suez. According to the accounts of travellers, there is no scarcity of vessels upon the Nile, and indeed his own transports might be fitted to his navigation. Instead, therefore, of crossing the desert from Cairo to Suez, it would be much more eligible to mount up the Nile to Coas or Cophtos. This mode of traveling would be much more commodious for his army: he would pass through a fertile country, which would supply him with every thing. From Cophtos he might travel through the desert to Colibor. This route is perfectly practicable, and presents many advantages.

"That he might ascend the Nile, will scarcely be disputed; that it might meet him on the banks of the Nile by the route of the caravans to Colibor seems likewise very probable. Of this journey, Savary, in his letters on Egypt, says, 'in winter, the journey to Colibor is not attended with the same disadvantages as in summer, the heat is moderate. The attack of Brigands is not so frequent, as in summer, travellers have to apprehend, but by allying in troops, they may be secured

from their pursuit. Even during summer, provided they take care to have a supply of provisions, and to carry water in earthen vessels or in skins, men accustomed to the temperature of warm climates, perform the journey without inconveniences.

"By following this route, Buonaparte will derive many advantages. The march by land is perhaps longer, but it is much more practicable. As to the risk of the navigation of the Nile, to the extent of 120 leagues, which is considered as perilous, would be avoided. Not only would he himself escape its dangers, but likewise the vessels he expects to meet him would avoid the risk of the voyage, both in going and returning."

September 27.  
Extract from the Chronique Universelle, (a Paris paper) of the 10th inst.

"There is nothing to discredit the news of this misfortune which the squadron of admiral Bruys has suffered—we are assured that no dispatches have yet been received from vice admiral Villeneuve; that this officer himself is at Malta, with a ship of the line and a frigate; and that another ship of the line put into Coas. It appears that only part of the squadron flared in the combat, and it may be easily supposed how unfavorable such an engagement must have been, especially in a roadstead.

"There is reason to hope that our loss will not be found so great as the first report have flared. We are at least certain that the British squadron, of the superior force, has not escaped without great danger."

October 1.  
The Hamburg mail which became due on Wednesday last arrived this morning, and brought a corroboration of the defeat of the French fleet by admiral Nelson. Some particulars of the engagement are contained in letters from Constantinople and Vienna. Dispatches have also been received at the admiralty, which states admiral Buey's fleet to have been almost completely destroyed.

Courier office, October 1.  
POSTSCRIPT.

The dispatches received at the admiralty are from Sir M. Eden, at Vienna, which confirm the very important intelligence of the Victory obtained by Sir Horatio Nelson over the French fleet near Alexandria. Report states, that all the French ships except two, which escaped to Malta were either taken or destroyed.

Dispatches are also said to have been received from Sir William Hamilton, which state, that the Mutine cutter had arrived at Naples with an account of admiral Nelsons having burnt two French ships of the line, and captured seven, with all the transports.

## SECOND EDITION.

We flip the press to insert the following copy of a paper pulled up at Lloyd's.

"In dispatches received from Sir Morten Eden, at Vienna, dated the 15th of September, he mentions having received an official communication from the Neapolitan Chargé d'Affaires, that the Mutine cutter had arrived from Admiral Nelson's fleet, on the 3d, at Naples, the captain of which declared that the whole of the French line of the battle ships were taken, burnt or destroyed, except two.

## HAMBURG MAIL.

Constantinople, August 25.

Last night the Turkish ministry received important dispatches from the Pacha of Rhodes. They bring advice that several French frigates had arrived at that island, which had been seized by the Pacha, according to the orders lately received from the Grand Signior. The Pacha has likewise transmitted the following intelligence.

The English admiral Nelson, having appeared unexpectedly before the harbour of Alexandria, found there the French fleet, and immediately attacked it. The French admiral's ship, on board of which Buonaparte had been, took fire, and was entirely consumed. The French frigates, which escaped into the open seas, were not aware that the Porte was inimically disposed towards France, and that hostilities had already commenced; they therefore came to anchor in the harbour of Rhodes and were immediately confiscated. From the captains of these frigates the Pacha of Rhodes received the account of the destruction of the French fleet, and the principal circumstances of that event. The Porte immediately communicated this intelligence, by their interpreter to the foreign ministers. This day the English minister, Sir Spencer Smith, received the confirmation of this account.

With respect to the army of Buonaparte we have received the following intelligence: It had for some time maintained a position between Rofeta and Cairo; but suddenly retreated to Banietta. In the vicinity of

this town the French were attacked by an army of 20,000 Arabs, the greater part cavalry, under the command of Multapla Bey, and two other Bays. An obstinate battle ensued, and the Arabs lay, in their account, triumphant to the Pacha of Damafcus, that they forced the enemy to retire with considerable loss; and that the French afterwards made a stand a few leagues from Banietta. These accounts do not say why Buonaparte, at first, instead of advancing against the residence of the Bays, should have retreated to so far; but this is ascribed partly to the numerous cavalry that covered the city of Cairo, partly the inundation of the Nile, which at this time is at the highest, and partly to the difficulty which the French found in obtaining provisions where for many of the roads were laid under water.

## Lexington, December 26.

The general assembly of this commonwealth met on Saturday last, after a session of seven weeks. The following is a list of all such laws passed during their session as have received the sanction of the legislature.

1. An act for forming a new county out of the county of Greene.
2. Explanatory and amendatory of an act entitled an act to amend the penal laws of this commonwealth.
3. To legalize the proceedings of the surveyors of Lincoln county.
4. For the division of Campbell county.
5. For erecting a new county out of the county of Lincoln and Greene.
6. For dividing the county of Chatham.
7. For forming a new county out of the county of Greene.
8. For erecting a new county out of the counties of Campbell and Bracken.
9. Establishing certain boundary lines.
10. For the division of Christian county.
11. For forming a new county out of the counties of Franklin and Shelby.
12. For forming a new county out of the county of Shelby.
13. For the division of Fayette county.
14. For the erection of a new county out of the counties of Logan and Christian.
15. Concerning the marriage of Elizabeth Kiser.
16. Concerning the marriage of Mary Black.
17. Authorizing the trustees of the Jefferson Seminary to raise a sum of money by lottery.
18. To amend an act respecting Licking navigation.
19. For the appropriation of money.
20. For the relief of John Holder.
21. To legalize the proceedings of one of the commissioners of Bolivar county.
22. For the relief of William Barnett.
23. For reforming certain rules of legal construction.
24. For the relief of Robert Campbell.
25. For the relief of the collectors of taxes in the counties of Harrison and Clarke.
26. To amend an act concerning the owners of salt, and salt-petre works.
27. Giving further time to return plats and certificates to the register's office.
28. For the relief of a certain sheriff, venire and witnesses.
29. For erecting a new county out of the county of Hardin.
30. To amend the act entitled an act for dividing the county of Clarke.
31. For altering certain court days.
32. Concerning the seat of justice in Fleming county.
33. To suspend the operation of the revenue law, so far as it respects the sale of land for the payment of taxes.
34. Prescribing the time of holding courts in the Washington district.
35. To amend an act, entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act to vest the estate of Joseph Barnett deceased, in commissioners, for the benefit of his creditors.
36. For opening a road from Mann's lick to Big Barren.
37. To amend an act entitled an act to amend and reduce the several acts of assembly for the inspection of tobacco, into one act, and for other purposes.
38. Concerning weights and measures.
39. Establishing the line between the counties of Logan and Warren.
40. For the relief of Alexander M'Lardy.
41. For adding part of Bourbon to the county of Clarke.
42. For calling a convention.
43. For the relief of William Thompson.
44. Giving further time to Robert Craig to repair the wilderness road.
45. Establishing sundry inspections.
46. To amend and declare the law relative to the trial of slaves.
47. Directing the register of the land office to issue certain grants.
48. Establishing the Winchester academy.
49. An act for the union of the Transylvania Seminary and Kentucky academy.

With several resolutions respecting certain unconstitutional acts of congress.

DIED] on Sunday last (after a short and painful illness of four days) Mr. Richard Lake, of this town attorney at law.—On the evening of the same day his remains were deposited in the Baptist burying ground, attended by the members of the Lexington Lodge of Free-Masons, (of which he was a member) and a numerous concourse of the citizens of this town.

Our last mail brought an account of the Brett fleet appearing off the coast of Ireland, with troops on board.









SACRED TO THE MUSES.

A MORAL THOUGHT.

By PHILIP FARNHAM.

IN youth, gay scenes attract our eyes,  
And not suspecting their decay  
Life's flow'ry fields before us rise,  
Regardless of its winter day.

But vain pursuits, and joys as vain,  
Convince us life is but a dream.  
Death is to wake to life again  
To that true life I best esteem.

So, nightly on the flowing tide,  
Oft have I seen a raree-show;  
Reflected stars on either side,  
And glittering moons were seen below.

But when the tide had ebb'd away,  
The scene fantastic with its fled,  
A bank of mud around me lay,  
And sea-weed on the river's bed.

ANECDOTE.

A scholar, a bald man and a barber travelling together, agreed to watch at night, in turn, for the sake of security. The barber's lot came first, who shaved the scholars head, when he was asleep, then waked him, when his turn came. The scholar scratched his head, and feeling it bald, exclaimed, "you wretch of barber, you have waked the bald man instead of me."

12 Ready Money  
GIVEN FOR GOOD CLEAN  
MERCHANTABLE WHEAT,  
Delivered at my Mill, three miles be-  
low Lexington.

THOMAS LEWIS.  
September 29th, 1798. tf

NOTICE

6 THAT the subscriber respectfully informs the gentlemen mercantiles, and traders to New Orleans, &c. that he intends carrying on the business of BOAT BUILDING, the ensuing winter at or near the mouth of Silver creek, on the Kentucky river—and as he intends to keep a number of hands employed in that business, hopes to be able to supply his friends with any number of boats that may be wanting, on short notice. Cash, Merchandize, Tobacco, Whitley, Pork, Beef, cattle and Corn, will be received in payment.

tf JOSIAS BULLOCK.

FOR SALE.

FORTY THOUSAND acres of land, lying on Licking.

3,350, ditto in Jefferson county, on the waters of Bear Grass.

1000 acres of a pre-emption in Shelby county, Foxe's run.

400 acres adjoining the pre-emption.

1000 acres on the Ohio, Jefferson county.

2,500 on the Ohio, Mason county.

2000 do. do.

4200 acres on the Beech Fork, Nelson county.

2,333 1-3 acres on Fern creek, Jefferson county.

7000 acres on Rough creek, Harlan county.

4,300 acres in Morgan county, on the Ohio.

450 acres on Green river, Lincoln county.

750 acres Cox's creek, Nelson county.

1000 do. near the Kentucky river, Woodford county.

The greater part of the above lands I will sell very low for the next crop of tobacco, wheat, flour, hemp or merchandise.

SAMUEL F. DU'ALL.

TAKEN up by the subscriber, living in Fayette county, a red brindled bear 3 years old, a swallow-fork in the off ear, a crop and swallow-fork in the near ear; appraised to \$1.66.

Also, a red heifer, one year old last spring, a fit and under-keel in the off ear, a crop in the near ear; appraised to \$58.

JOHN MAXWELL.  
February 14, 1798. +

Just Published,  
The Kentucky Almanac,  
For the year of our Lord 1799.

JOHN JORDAN junr.

HAS just arrived from Philadelphia with a LARGE and EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT of 38 MERCHANDIZE;  
Which is now opening and will sell whole sale, on moderate terms.

Lexington, February 18th, 1798.

Opening For Sale.

By the subscribers in Main street (next door to Mr. Stewart's Printing Office) an elegant assortment of

British and India Muslins,

Of all descriptions;

WITH a variety of other articles—amongst which are broad and forest cloths, cassimeres, printed callicoes, chintz, and printed flannels; silk and cotton bandannas; best Scotch thread, mens' cotton stockings, fine white tapes, cambrics and lawns, 5-4, 6-4, 7-4, 8-4, and 8 by 10 gr. diaper & damask table cloths; bed ticking, white and brown linses, cotton counterpanes, pulicat handkerchiefs, India and coloured nankins; hats assorted, needles, ivory and horn combs; Madeira and brandy by the quarter cask; loaf and muscovado sugars, tea, coffee, chocolate, &c. &c. with an assortment of Hopkins's new invented razor flops and compulsion—Which will be sold on the lowest terms for cash or approved notes.

GARONER & BOARDMAN.  
Lexington, October 29, 1798. tf

FOR SALE,

Several Small Tracts of very Valuable LAND, and of incontestible TITLE, (vizt)

MILITARY LANDS IN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE.

265 Acres, comprehending three tracts of 120 acres each, adjoining the southern boundaries of an addition to the town of Clarksville, of the eastern bank of the river Cumberland, with a fine spring of water in each of the said tracts.

46 town lots, and out lots, being part of 56 town lots and out lots in the aforesaid addition to the town of Clarksville.

53 separated out lots of two acres each, being part of 55 out lots, lying on the east side of the aforesaid addition to the town of Clarksville, reserved for the accommodation of the purchasers of the town lots, during the term of 18 months from November last.

IN THE ILLINOIS GRANT, N. W. TERRITORY.  
200 acres, being part of a 500 acre survey No. 126, granted to John Moore, an sergeant of artillery in the Illinois regiment, by a deed of the trustees of said grant.

LANDS LYING NEAR THE VILLAGE KASKASKIAS.

In the Illinois district, now county of St. Clair, N. W. Territory, granted by court or commandant for the state of Virginia, in 1783.

1440 acres, vizt. 960 in 8 grants of 120 acres—480 in 2 grants of 240 acres joined together on the east side of the river Kaskaskias, opposite the village of the same name.

561 acres bounded on the front by the said river Kaskaskias.

3880 ditto, comprehending 10 grants in the year 1784, lying together on the west side of the river Kaskaskias, above and near the village of the same name.

360 ditto, bounded on the north by the aforesaid 10 grants.

Also one lot in the town of Kaskaskias, pleasantly situated near the bank of the river.

For further information apply to

P. D. ROBERT.  
Who has for sale 450 lbs. of very good GUN POWDER.

Lexington, April 4, 1798. tf

35 TAKEN up by the subscriber, in Mercer county a sorrel Mare, 12 or 13 years old, 13 and a half hands high, a blaze in her face, branded on the near buttock C, has some fiddle spots, grey hairs mixed about her body; appraised to 9l.

Also, a sorrel Horse, about 3 years old, a blaze in his face, about 14 hands high, branded on the near shoulder SB; appraised to 9l.

Wm. McDOWELL.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED away from the plantation of Mr. John Meaux, in Mercer county, on the 17th of March last, a GREY MARE, 6 or 7 years old, about 14 hands high, and well turned, shod before, bob tail rather thick, no brand recollected. Any person delivering the said mare to Mr. Meaux, or to the subscriber living at the falls of the Ohio, or giving such information that either of them get her again, shall receive the above reward.

NATHANIEL B. WHITLOCK.  
December 15, 1798. +3t

NOTICE.

THAT application will be made to the county court of Washington county, at their February court next ensuing, for leave to establish a town on my land, lying on the Beech fork of Salt river at the mouth of Cartwrights creek, at the place now called Parker's Tavern.

RICHARD PARKER.  
September th, 1798. +410d

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber are requested to call and pay of their respective balances, as I intend, in a few weeks, to send for a fresh supply of merchandize. Such persons as neglect this notice, may expect to have their accounts put into the hands of proper officers for collection.

WM. WEST.

Lexington, October 10, 1798.

Macbean, Poyzer & Co.

INTENDING shortly to start for the settlement, request all persons indebted to them by bond, note or book account, to make immediate payment, otherwise they will be put into the hands of the proper officer for collection.

They will dispose of the remainder of their goods on hand on moderate terms for Cash: Whitley, Sugar, Feathers, Country Lard, &c. Consisting of Blankets, Flannels, Coatings, Woolen Cloths, Mens' and Womens' shoes, Wool and Fur Hats, Mullin, Iron, Hoes, Axes, Stationary, Canning Worsted Hosiery, and the following

BOOKS:

Bibles, Testaments, Spelling books and Primers.  
Laws of the U. States.  
Pocals' sermons.  
Jarrett's life of God in the Soul of Man.  
Mem's of Halliburton.  
Herve's Meditations.  
Crips works.  
Life of Christ.  
Cockburn's Collection.  
French spelling Book.  
Ruddiman's Laticia Grammar.  
Cervinus and Camilla.  
Milton's Elysium.  
Brown on Equality.

Howell's Husbandry spiritualized.  
Bracken's Farriery.  
Tappin's do.  
Mr. Griffith's Letters to Young Women.  
Zimmeman on Solitude.  
Yorick's Sentimental Journey.  
Elip's Fables.  
Franklin's Life.  
Howard's Life.  
Account of the Pelew Islands.  
Watts's Psalms.  
Ohio Navigator.  
Speeche of Erkin and Kyd, &c. &c.

NOTRUST.

Old Court House, 29th Oct. 1798.

THE partnership of ROBERT BARR, & Co. is this day dissolved, all persons indebted to the firm, will see the necessity of calling immediately and settling off their balances to the subscriber, as no further indulgence can be given.

tf. ROBERT BARR.  
Lexington, March 15, 1798.

FOR SALE.

ALL the lands belonging to John Cockey Owings, in this state.—Also his share in the Iron Works—for terms apply to

B. VANRADDELLES, atty.  
in fact for John Cockey Owings.

CASTINGS FOR SALE.

THE subscriber will sell a quantity of CASTINGS, at the most reduced prices by the ton. TOBACCO will be taken in payment. Those who wish to purchase, or exchange for the aforesaid article, had best apply soon, as he intends leaving this country for a short time.

JOHN A. SEITZ.

Lexington, October 1, 1798.

TOBACCO MANUFACTORY.

THE subscriber informs his friends and the public in general, that he continues to carry on the manufactory of tobacco, in all its various branches, equal to any in this state, nearly opposite lawyer Hughes's, on Main street, where he intends to have a quantity ready for sale, wholesale and retail. Those gentlemen who please to favor him with their custom may be supplied on the shortest notice. A considerable credit will be given, when purchased wholesale, by giving bond with approved security.

JACOB LAUDEMAN.

Lexington, Jan. 15, 1798.

A TAVERN.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS lately opened in the town of Harrodsburgh, in the house lately occupied by Palmer and Miles, a house of

ENTERTAINMENT.

and is well provided with beds and bedding, and with every other article necessary to render the accommodation of travellers comfortable. He hopes by his attention to his guests, he will obtain a share of the public patronage.

RICHARD DAVENPORT.  
Harrodsburgh, OR. 1, 1798. tf

WANTED.

A quantity of good clean

ASHES.

Delivered at Mr. A. F. Saugrain's, Lexington.

JAMES McCOWN.

TAKEN up by the subscriber on the ridge that divides between Salt river and Braefears' creek, Shelby county, a sorrel Mare, a small blaze, about 14 and a half hands high, branded C, on the near shoulder and buttock, some fiddle spots, about 4 years old, the near hind foot white; appraised to 16l.

JOHN SMITH.

May 1, 1798.

FOUND. NEAR LEXINGTON.

AND left at this office, A BLACK LEATHER POCKET BOOK: by the papers it contains, it appears to belong to Samuel Whirlcock—the owner may get it by applying to the printer, and paying for this advertisement.

FOR SALE.

FOUR hundred and twenty-four acres of LAND, lying on the Main branch of Licking, patented and surveyed in the year 1788—the title indisputable. For terms apply to the subscriber at Capt. William Allen's, Lexington. produce will be taken in payment.

ROBERT BRADLEY.

THE SUBSCRIBER.

Has just returned from Philadelphia, with a large and very general assortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

CONSISTING OF Dry Goods, Green and Hard Ware, Cutlery, Queen's Ware, &c. &c.

Also an assortment of BOOKS, consisting of Divinity, Law, History, school, Music, Copper-plate Copies, &c.

A large assortment of Ladies' Morocco, Stuff, Leather Shoes and Slippers—all of which will be sold low for Cash.

\* All those indebted to him by bond, note or book account, are requested to make payment on or before the first day of September next.—A compliance with this request will be gratefully remembered by

WILL LEA'Y.  
Lexington, Aug. 13, 1798.

ALEXANDER PARKER,

HAS JUST IMPORTED FROM PHILADELPHIA, And now opening, on Main street, opposite the court house, a very extensive

Assortment of Dry Goods, 14

Groceries, Hard Ware, Glass, Queens & China Ware;

which he will sell on moderate terms for Cash. Lexington, Sept. 24, 1798.

Just Imported.

And now opening, at the corner of Main and Court streets, opposite the old court-house, a variety of articles, ad pted to the present and approaching season, vizt.

An assortment of dry goods.	Loaf, white & brown Sugars.
Hardware & cutlery, and iron, blue kytches and scier.	Alpice, cinnamon, long T &c.
Crockery and glass ware.	Alum, copperas, arnotto.
Japanese do.	A few hundred of excellent logwood.
A general assortment of tin co.	India's hair.
Pewter basins, dishes and plates.	Copper tea kettles.
Superfine felt and common paper.	Two large and one small tins.
School bibles and tablets.	Sheet iron & nail rods.
Spelling books.	Nails & flooring brass.
Dilworth's al. fant.	From 2d. to 12d.
Mains book-keeping.	Window glass, 7 by 9 by 10, 9 by 11, 10 by 12.
Blank books.	A variety of saddlery, saddles, fiddle bags, whips and bridles of every description.
Cherry bunces.	Also a few excellent chocolate, double and single trigger rifleguns.
Porter, wines, Tea, Coffee, and Chocolate.	
Pepper.	

All of which will be disposed of extremely low for cash, by the public's humble servant,

JOHN HAN BURROWS.  
Lexington, March 8, 1798.

\* A generous price will be given for country lugs.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED from the subscriber living in the state of Tennessee, Grainger county, Racoon valley, on the north fork of Bull run, the 25th of May last, a black horse, branded thus 3B on the near shoulder—a little white spot on the near thigh, appears as if it was branded by the cock of a horse shoe—he is nearly fifteen hands high—fix years old next spring—with a teal tail. Any person delivering said horse to the subscriber, shall receive the above reward, or ten dollars to any person who will give information where he can be got.

JOHN SALLEY.

November 11th, 1798. 112t

JUST PUBLISHED.

And for sale at the office of the KENTUCKY GAZETTE in Lexington, and the GUARDIAN of FREEDOM in Frankfort,

Price 1s.

A LETTER

FROM

GEORGE NICHOLAS

OF KENTUCKY,

TO HIS FRIEND IN VIRGINIA,

Justifying the conduct of the citizens of Kentucky, as to some of the late measures of the general government; and concerning certain false statements, which have been made in the different states of the views and actions of the people of Kentucky.